



Docket No.: H0075.70099US00  
(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Berthold Mollenhauer  
Serial No.: 10/507,075  
Confirmation No.: 4427  
Filed: June 2, 2005  
For: TRIPOD HEAD, IN PARTICULAR CAMERA TRIPOD HEAD  
Examiner: N. J. Dumas  
Art Unit: 3632

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Dated: December 12, 2007

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Petition for Name Change Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.182

Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions that the name of inventor "Berthold Leimbach" be changed to read --Berthold Mollenhauer--. Inventor Berthold Mollenhauer's legal name as of the filing date of the above-identified patent application was Berthold Leimbach. Berthold Mollenhauer (aka Berthold Leimbach) successfully petitioned the Civil Registry Office in Hofbieber in the district of Fulda, Germany for legal name change to Berthold Mollenhauer. That petition was approved and a Certificate of Change of Name was issued on July 14, 2006.

Pursuant to MPEP §605.04(c) and in support of this request, a copy of the Certificate of Change of Name from the Civil Registry Office in Hofbieber in the district of Fulda, Germany is attached hereto, together with an English translation of the same. A check to cover the petition fee, in the amount \$400.00, is included. If the amount is insufficient, the balance may be charged to Deposit Account No. 23/2825.

Respectfully submitted,  
Berthold Mollenhauer, Applicant

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Enclosed is a petition filed under 37 CFR 1.182 that requires a processing fee (37 CFR 1.17(f), (g), or (h)). Payment of \$ 400.00 is enclosed.

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**Petition Fees under 37 CFR 1.17(f): Fee \$400 Fee Code 1462**

For petitions filed under:

- § 1.36(a) – for revocation of a power of attorney by fewer than all applicants
- § 1.53(e) – to accord a filing date.
- § 1.57(a) – to accord a filing date.
- § 1.182 – for decision on a question not specifically provided for.
- § 1.183 – to suspend the rules.
- § 1.378(e) – for reconsideration of decision on petition refusing to accept delayed payment of maintenance fee in an expired patent.
- § 1.741(b) – to accord a filing date to an application under § 1.740 for extension of a patent term.

**Petition Fees under 37 CFR 1.17(g): Fee \$200 Fee Code 1463**

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- § 1.12 – for access to an assignment record.
- § 1.14 – for access to an application.
- § 1.47 – for filing by other than all the inventors or a person not the inventor.
- § 1.59 – for expungement of information.
- § 1.103(a) – to suspend action in an application.
- § 1.136(b) – for review of a request for extension of time when the provisions of section 1.136(a) are not available.
- § 1.295 – for review of refusal to publish a statutory invention registration.
- § 1.296 – to withdraw a request for publication of a statutory invention registration filed on or after the date the notice of intent to publish issued.
- § 1.377 – for review of decision refusing to accept and record payment of a maintenance fee filed prior to expiration of a patent.
- § 1.550(c) – for patent owner requests for extension of time in ex parte reexamination proceedings.
- § 1.956 – for patent owner requests for extension of time in inter partes reexamination proceedings.
- § 5.12 – for expedited handling of a foreign filing license.
- § 5.15 – for changing the scope of a license.
- § 5.25 – for retroactive license.

**Petition Fees under 37 CFR 1.17(h): Fee \$130 Fee Code 1464**

For petitions filed under:

- § 1.19(g) – to request documents in a form other than that provided in this part.
- § 1.84 – for accepting color drawings or photographs.
- § 1.91 – for entry of a model or exhibit.
- § 1.102(d) – to make an application special.
- § 1.138(c) – to expressly abandon an application to avoid publication.
- § 1.313 – to withdraw an application from issue.
- § 1.314 – to defer issuance of a patent.

William R. McClellan  
Signature  
William R. McClellan  
Typed or printed name

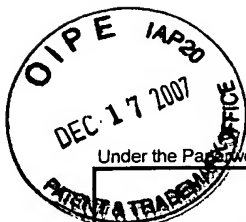
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Translation of the Certificate of Change of Name, as issued by the Civil Registry Office  
in Hofbieber in the district of Fulda

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## Civil Registry Office

Hofbieber

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<b>Certification of Change of Name</b> Sec. 9a Civil Status Ordinance	
<b>Previous Name</b>	Last Name Leimbach
	Birth Name; Previous Last Name
	First Names Berthold Heinrich
	Name Components
<b>New Name</b>	Last Name Mollenhauer
	Birth Name Leimbach
	First Names Berthold Heinrich
	Name Components
Date Change Becomes Effective July 14, 2006	
Date of Birth and Place of Birth November 24, 1973, Rotenburg a.d. Fulda	
Address Aichacher Strasse 22, 81379 Munich	
<b>Signature</b>	Hofbieber, July 14, 2006  <div style="float: right; text-align: right;">           The Registrar (signature) Pfeffermann         </div>

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Bescheinigung über Namensänderung

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Bisherige Namensf.

Familienname

Leimbach

Geburtsname; früherer Familienname

Vornamen

Berthold Heinrich

Namensbestandteile

Neue Namensf.

Familienname

Mollenhauer

Geburtsname

Leimbach

Vornamen

Berthold Heinrich

Namensbestandteile

Datum der Wirksamkeit

14.07.2006

Geburtstag und -ort

24.11.1973, Rotenburg a.d. Fulda

Anschrift

Aichacher Straße 22, 81379 München

Unterschrift

Hofbieber, den 14.07.2006



Der Standesbeamte

*Pfeffermann* (Pfeffermann)

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